

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE
RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In complete response to the Notification of Defective Response dated June 27, 2008, enclosed please find:

- [X] Newly Executed Declaration of Second Inventor (3 pgs.);
- [X] Preliminary Amendment (3 pgs.); and
- [X] Sequence Listing (.txt format)

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC836-US).

Respectfully submitted,

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